

Grants by Grant Cycle

Grants matching your search for **2014-15 Illegal Disp. Site & LF Cleanup Remediation Grants (SWC60)**

Lake County

Grantee: City of Clearlake

Amount Awarded: \$160,645.00

Grantee Contact: Adeline Brown

CalRecycle Grant manager: Mustafe Botan

Project Summary: All project funds will be used to clean up waste sites in the City of Clearlake. Widespread illegal dumping is rampant in the city and many residents are unable and/or unwilling to pay for the cleanup needed. Rehabilitation and maintenance to improve the quality of housing is highly encouraged. These funds will help to facilitate the goals of the city to improve housing stock, eliminate blighted conditions, and improve the efforts in the community to increase maintenance of properties.

Total Awarded for County:\$160,645.00

Riverside County

Grantee: City of Jurupa Valley

Amount Awarded: \$160,735.00

Grantee Contact: Gary Thompson

CalRecycle Grant manager: Mustafe Botan

Project Summary: The City of Jurupa Valley incorporated in 2011 and consists of 9 unique communities, many of which are disadvantaged, blending diverse rural and suburban lifestyles over 46 square miles. One of the City's greatest challenges has been dealing with the widespread illegal dumping citywide in the public right-of-way adjacent to vacant land, which adversely impacts the community, public health, and safety.

The City has a small, core group of six field maintenance technicians who on a daily basis routinely monitor their maintenance zones citywide handling the clean up of the public right-of-way, including, but not limited to illegal dumping, replacement of broken signage/guardrail, fallen trees, graffiti abatement, litter clean-up, hazardous material clean-up, and flooding mitigation measures.

This grant will help the City implement a multi-pronged strategy to more effectively address waste removal and disposal; improve public health, safety, and the environment; accelerate the pace of cleanup; and reduce the amount of illegal material at two high-priority right-of-way areas. One site off Wallace Street is near a sensitive environmental habitat and surface water body, the Santa Ana River. The other site off Granite Hill is very accessible to State Route 60. Each site has experienced about 300+ tons of illegally disposed solid waste annually. Our strategy includes, but is not limited to enhancing public outreach/education (e.g., free quarterly disposal events for City residents, mailers, website updates, etc.), incorporating security measures (e.g., fencing, video detection, signage, monitoring, etc.), mobilizing additional labor resources (contractors, community groups, at-risk youth, etc.), investigating/implementing cost-saving initiatives (e.g., free labor for on-site clean-up through County Probation Department's YAT program, etc.), maximizing the recycling and/or reuse of recovered materials on City projects, and implementing methods to prevent or minimize recurrence of problems corrected.

The City of Jurupa Valley has not been awarded a grant under the Solid Waste Disposal and Codisposal Site Cleanup Program during the current and/or previous two fiscal years.

Total Awarded for County:\$160,735.00

Grant Count: 2

Grand Total for Selected Counties: \$321,380.00